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**Experts on the Soviet Union:****1. Philip Nossel**

Currently at the Council on Foreign Relations, New York; formerly head of the Russian Institute, Columbia University and Professor of International Relations there, frequent contributor to scholarly journals on Soviet subjects.

**2. John Turkevich**

Former instructor Dartmouth, now professor of Chemistry at Princeton, former AEC consultant Manhattan projects, editor Brookhaven Guide to Russian Scientific Periodical Literature 1948-1953. Expert on Soviet scientific development.

**3. Abram Bergson**

Economist, Professor of Economics at the Russian Institute, Columbia University, now at the Russian Research Center, Harvard. Expert on Soviet National Income and Production Statistics. (Ambassador Thompson does not know Professor Bergson personally but is favorably impressed with his reputation).

**4. Alex Karol**

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, expert on Soviet education and author of the recent book entitled, "Soviet Education for Science and Technology." (Ambassador Thompson is not personally acquainted with Karol but is very favorably impressed with his book.)

**5. Merle Paineod**

Professor of Government and Administration at Harvard. His book, "How Russia is Ruled" is regarded by Ambassador Thompson as the best single reference text on Soviet Government administration and organization. (Ambassador Thompson is not personally acquainted with Paineod, and is not aware of the reasons why Paineod is regarded as controversial in certain quarters).

**6. Walt Whitman Rostow**

Professor of Economic History at Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Associated with Center for International Studies, CENIS (MIT) research project and was project director for one of the major psychological warfare studies on the USSR.

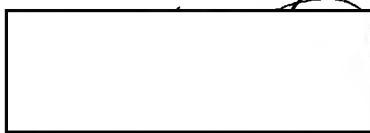
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7. Frederick Charles Barghoorn

Department of Political Science, Yale University, has served with Department of State; specialist in Soviet Government and administration and has written a book entitled "The Soviet Image of the United States" which is a description and analysis of Soviet propaganda against the United States.

MEMORANDUM FOR: THE DIRECTOR

The attached list of experts on the Soviet Union was given to Mr. Wisner by Ambassador Thompson, requesting that Mr. Wisner deliver it to Senator Fulbright. Legislative Counsel had an urgent call from the Senator's office requesting the list, and it was dispatched the afternoon of 19 February 1958.



LAWRENCE R. HOUSTON  
General Counsel

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